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GENERAL NEWS.

Decision to be Rendered in a Protracted Legal Encounter.

KATE CHASE SPRAGUE DIVORCED.

George Cooley, the Celebrated Rhode Island Lawyer, Gets a New England Judge—Famous Case and Its Stalwarts.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The *Tribune* says: Judge Van Brunt and Judge Van Hoesen were asked to take offices in Washington to superintend the locating of Gutteau, and S. Teal has been offered him for services. Van Hoesen says: He thinks it is hardly worth the work he will require that a gallows similar to that used by him in New Jersey shall be used, and that he be allowed one assistant. He also wants the amount of compensation he is to receive. Van Hoese has completed thirteen hangings in New Jersey, and he "is an expert hangman," and is so credited with a single murder. The gallows used by him has been improved by him and it is now in jail at Newark.

Arrival of Danenhower's Party.

NEW YORK, May 28.—*The Sun* says: At a late hour last night the steamer Celtic was sighted off Sandy Hook, and distinguished party went down on the steamboat Bircbeck, to receive Lieut. Danenhower and survivors of the ill-fated Jeannette expedition from the Arctic regions. Among the people on the Birkbeck, were Chief Justice Daly, Mrs. De Long, widow of the commander of the Jeannette, and Gen. Grant. By special permit obtained by James Gordon Bennett, Lieut. Danenhower was taken from the steamer to the Birkbeck and brought to this city, where quarters had been engaged for him at Hotel Windsor. The meeting between Lieut. Danenhower and Mrs. De Long was very affecting. It was the first opportunity that that lady had had of communicating directly with one of her husband's associates in his perilous and fatal enterprise. Mrs. DeLong was almost overcome by her emotion, as soon as the lieutenant came on board the Birkbeck, he was shown into the ladies' saloon, which was occupied by Mrs. DeLong and Mr. and Mrs. Washington Danenhower, parents of the rescued officer. What transpired in that interview, was of course not inquired into by the large number of newspaper representatives on board, but it was noticed Lieut. Danenhower emerged from the cabin with eyes reddened from the emotions that he must have experienced. The rest of the trip to the city was occupied with welcomes and congratulations between the lieutenant and guests. Next Tuesday evening a public reception will be tendered Lieut. Danenhower, at the rooms of the American Geographical Society, and on the following evening he will be the chief guest at a banquet at Delmonico's.

The President's Policy.

NEW YORK, May 26.—*The Times* says of recent appointments: If the president imagines that, to stand well with the country, it is necessary to appear as author of two policies instead of one party, we think he has made a grievous blunder. If his policy is to consist in turning one set of men out of office and replacing another in, merely to satisfy demands of his personal adherence; if its party is to consist solely of Arthur ex-disciplinarians from those who are only republicans, then he will show that the leader of his party and the author of this chief magistracy by the vice-presidential succession have yielded his, neither instruction nor warning.

A Fishy Story.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—When the steamship British King arrived in port last Monday, the statement was made that an English passenger, evidently demented, had jumped overboard on the fourth day of the voyage and was lost. Patrick Foy, of County Sligo, Ireland, who was also one of the steerage passengers, reported to the British consul this afternoon, that he heard a man exclaim as he leaped into the sea, "I'm the man who killed Lord Cavendish." Foy is positive his statement is the assassin's words, and says he was standing close to him when he uttered them.

Cameron's Council of War.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Senator Cameron had a conference to-day with a number of business men with a reference to bringing out Grant. It had been decided that the regular republican convention will be reconvened within the next fifteen days and be composed of the same delegates who formed the first convention, and the vacancy occasioned by the declination of Marshall will then be filled. The senator stated to the visitors that his purpose in bringing them in conference was to lay before them the real situation of affairs, and on which depended the life of the party. The success of the ticket, he said depended upon the great agriculture, mining and commercial interests of the state. He had fought for a protective tariff in the senate, as his father had done in other days, but those interests had heretofore supported the republican ticket wanted to elect him. He was ready to receive the ideas, and he would oppose the "evil in the senate as nearly as he had opposed it. If you want to hit the party we will all go to destruction together.

The Stalwarts Stand Firm.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Senator Cameron has been receiving political callers at his hotel all day and talking over the political situation. The senator declared there should be no compromise or fusion with the Democrats. Independent republicans should exert all their strength against the ticket nominated Wednesday last, as well as the democratic ticket. He declared the nomination of Gen. Beaver for mayor, caused by Marshall's declination of the nomination of congressman at large, shall be filled by the state committee or by another convention, is not yet decided.

The Oregon Trans-Continental Plans.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Henry Villard, president of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., was tendered a reception at the Union League house last evening by C. B. Wright, former president of that corporation. Villard made an address, in which he set forth the plans and purposes of the Oregon Trans-Continental company. The organization was formed to control tributary local lines through the territory traversed by the Northern Pacific, and those projected by Villard and his friends, and to form a continental system by making an excellent speech of some length. The banquet concluded at a late hour, and guests depart to-morrow.

Railroad Matters.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Railway officials in New York report the committee of general passenger agents in session there. They will recommend abolition of the system of through trains to the west, forcing passengers to transfer from sleepers on city cars. This is said to be the result of a change by the Erie road, that through lines charge higher rates than at present and the author of the scheme is said to be Jewett, general manager of the Lake Shore road.

Distillers in Convention.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The leading distillers of the country are in session at the Grand Pacific, trying to agree upon a scheme which will enable the proposed association to fix a remunerative price for high wines, and prevent disastrous cutting of rates. A committee appointed for the purpose, to-day reported, but the report was discussed at length, and pending a vote upon its adoption, the meeting adjourned for dinner.

A Result of the Strike.

St. Louis, May 27.—It is asserted the rolling mills will close next week, if workmen still insist on the advance of wages. They are in a condition to stop and if they do so it will throw about 5,000 out of employment, and it is likely five other mills, employing about 2,000 men, with a pay roll of $140,000 per month, will also shut down.

Killed by the Eaton Family Caught.

DENVER, May 27.—U. S. Marshall Smith and Deputy Marshal Hoskins of Fayetteville, Arkansas, yesterday arrested the third and last member of the Fuller family, charged with robbery of mails at Ginger, Arkansas, while in charge of the post-office. The elder Fuller was arrested at Pueblo, Mr. Fuller in Denver and young Fuller in Boulder.

Divorce of the Sprogues.

PROVIDENCE, May 27.—In the supreme court of Washington county to-day, a decree was entered dissolving Katherine Chase Sprague from William Sprague. Mrs. Sprague gets the custody of her three daughters and permission for her former husband's name, with leave thereafter to apply for alimony, if she chooses.

Star Route Witnesses.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 27.—Colonel Fowler, general mail agent for Texas, was visiting relatives in this city to-day. Another mail agent, John, who will testify in the star route cases, passed over the Mexican line on the morning train. Postmaster Manning of San Antonio and postmaster Dunn are also on their way to the east.

Distinguished Travelers.

NEW ORLEANS, March 27.—Some Cuban and other provincial citizens of Nicaragua, including the mayor of the city of Leon, arrived here last evening. Quarters for New York via Cincinnati and Niagara Falls. They were tendered the hospitalities of the city, and entertained last evening by the acting mayor.

Send for Safe Keeping.

EUSTACE, Tex., May 28.—Bill M'Donald, Lee Martin of the Texas and Pacific train robbery, were arrested and brought here a few days ago, but were sent to Weatherford for safe keeping until they have been given an attempt at rescue would be made by members of the gang.

Destructive Fire in Michigan.

CHICAGO, May 27.—East Tawas, Mich., special: Seven street fires are raging between Greenbush and Head River to Alcona and unless rain comes speedily there will be great damage to the pineries.

Notable Deaths.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Mrs. Isabel, wife and only child of Gen. Thomas Ewing, died at the residence of her father-in-law, Gen. Sherman, this morning. Mrs. Ewing was the daughter of Gen. Hitchcock, who was a prominent lawyer of New York. She was married to Thomas Ewing, Jr., in 1877, and has since resided with her husband's parents in this city. Mrs. Ewing was a lady of rare accomplishments and her death will be a severe blow to the family. Gen. Sherman and family have been in Lake Superior region for some time, and are now en route home.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—Dr. George K. Cox, the well known lecturer and former Rector of St. Paul's Church, Rome, Georgia, died at his residence in this city, this morning.

The Baltimore Encampment.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—Ten thousand persons moved in review past the reviewing stand in front of the National Hotel this afternoon in celebration of Decoration Day. The president, several members of the cabinet and Gen. Sherman, with his party.

Maritime Notes.

PORTRESS MONROE, May 27.—The U. S. steamer Vandalia arrived in the roads last night, having in tow a schooner with which she had been in collision off Cape Henry.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

QUINCY, Ills., May 27.—During a storm on the west side of the river yesterday evening a wagon containing Enos Adams, Mrs. Wharley and Mr. Wharley was caught by a falling tree. The two former were killed instantly and the latter fatally injured.

CRIMINAL NOTES.

CHICAGO, May 27.—At Highwood, a northern suburb, yesterday the house of a man named Mccarthy was discovered to have been burned, and his body found in the ashes. Indications point to murder, the object is supposed to be money he received recently from stock sales. Nobody knew of the affair until day light, when the smoking ruins attracted attention and the charred remains were found. A posse of citizens is scouring the country around and every effort is being made to overtake the murderers.

WILMINGTON, Del., May 27.—James Redden, colored, convicted of criminally assaulting a young white girl, was sentenced to be hanged August 25. Redden admits his guilt.

KANSAS CITY, May 26.—Gus Miller and Matthew Jones were arrested charged with exhibiting the small of 10c which on April 30, Isaac Lord Harlington, a colored man. Sufficient evidence is believed to have been obtained to convict Miller and Jones.

LEAD CITY, May 27.—A bloody tragedy has occurred near Bennett's Mill. Bad feeling existed between George and William Matthews and some of their cousins, especially a disturbance occurred between George Matthews and James Ford, the Matthews boys being intoxicated. The boys then started home and in passing met Ford with Marion and Homer Sharp. They had gone a considerable distance when they were freighted by some parties in ambush and Ford and the Sharp boys fled. Marion Sharp killed and William and Sharp both wounded, the former mortally. The Matthews boys were aged 20 and 18. The wounded are still younger.

THE TURF.

Maryland Jockey Club Races.

BALTIMORE, May 26.—Chesapeake stakes—Fillies, three-year-olds, mile and a quarter: Megenta first, Infanta second, Venus third. Time, 2:21¾.

Selling purse, $1,000; three-quarter mile: Chickadee first, Minerva second, Cestova third. Time, 1:20.

Clarendon memorial stakes—Two-year-olds, half mile; Hot Spur first, Bethadan second, Empress third. Time, 53 seconds.

Post-stakes, sweepstakes; $620 for first, Ohio Belle second, Spendthrift third. Time, 1:15.

Handicap—All ages, mile and a quarter, Little Brittain; first, Ella's second second, Diamond third. Time, 2:11¾. Nellie Bell ran second heat, Ella's third. Nellie won in two straight heats. Time, 2:46, 2:44.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—Hidden won the first race to-day, Pendragon second, Chivy, third. Time, 1:47. Hidden won in 2:18¾. The Bridgeboro cup, 2½ miles, Thora won in 4 minutes. The next race, mile heats, Bonny won in straight heats in 1:45¾, 1:47.

The steeple chase, regular course, Jubilee Murray won; no time given.

Columbia Races.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 27.—2:27 class—Riley first, Yellow Jacket second, Ed. T. Thomas third. Best time, 2:25¾.

The 2:27 class race is unfinished.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—The *Bulletin* says the following special from Sacramento, 26, will cause Arkansas gore, editor and frontiersman, has organized a party of five experienced men, himself included, to go to Alaska. Buchanan proposes to locate a claim on the Yukon river in Alaska. The party have ample means and a small, light draft steam wheel steamer has been built for river navigation. Provisions and tickets will be put on the schooner chartered for the purpose. The expedition will leave in a few days. Schofield believes himself within a shipyard but within certain limits through South America, the United States and British Columbia, as the south as prospectors have explored, and leaving that it will be practicable to shipload goods at Yukon. The party are expected to be about three years.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—It has been decided by the committee on claims in charge of the bill providing for a veterans home building until advices are received from Washington. Congress has refused to pass bills containing either a general or local branch. Some favorable advices on the case. A letter was received in the city last week from General Ingersoll saying that were the restrictions of the bill relative to the veterans home on selection at Washington would consider the advisability of assisting financially the veterans home organization of this coast. On receipt of the letter it was decided to suspend selection of the site, as stated, and await act on of congress and of both votes of the national home. The question will now be as to the erection of the building within the limits of this state.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—Unlucky Joe drew a cribbage and two cents, and Scorpion levies an assessment of ten cents.

Mining Suit Settled.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—The suit between Tuolumne and Bodie mining companies, which has caused much excitement in mining circles, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff. Suit was brought last September and a temporary injunction granted restraining the Bodie Consolidated Mining company from working on the side line of Tuolumnity. Settlement of this case ends all litigation as to the rights of different claims on Contention hill.

Suicides.

SACRAMENTO, May 27.—C. W. Repp, wholesale and retail grocer, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself. Heart disease and financial embarrassment is attributed as the suicidal impulse.

LOS ANGELES, May 27.—Thomas Gray, an old resident, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself through the head. The act was caused by financial difficulties.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Accidents at Olympia.

OLYMPIA, May 26.—The steamship C. W. Elder arrived in the sound on the 24th with passengers and freight. She encountered heavy gales on the lower coast and drove under bare poles. Part of her deck load of shingles was washed overboard. A large number of deck loads were lost and the vessel was otherwise damaged. Last night at seven P. M., and was not resumed until 8 A. M. In the meantime the tide ebbed leaving the vessel on a new settle down on the flats, and as it became to come in again the crew failed to rise and before anything could be done the vessel was pounding heavily on the gravelly bottom, causing hundreds and, perhaps, thousands of dollars damages. The large cargo of tinware, brought up by F. A. Hoffman for Hoffman, Billings & Co., was partially burned out, was badly damaged and a piano, consigned to Mrs. Engley, but the order for which had been countermanded after the fire and previous to its shipment from San Francisco, was completely ruined. Nearly every stockkeeper lost some goods, but the amount of damage done can hardly be estimated before Monday. The Olympia has been barely tided by both ore and water inside of ten days.

A fire took place last night at Tumwater, which destroyed Eckert's grist mill, home and it was with difficulty the sash and door factory could be saved.

A special election will be held in this city, June 5th, to vote upon the question of levying a special tax for the purpose. Preparations are being made to rebuild most of the burnt district with brick.

Generosity of an Actress.

SEATTLE, May 27.—A virulent type of smallpox made its appearance last night in an S. Phillips, a member of the Nellie Boyd Dramatic Company, now playing in this city, but recently from San Francisco. The patient was hastily placed in the pest house for care and keeping. Phillips had no money and no friends outside of the theatre, and had it not been for Nellie Boyd he would have been a charge upon the community. That lady at once gave $75, with the promise of paying out of her own pocket at least one-half the whole amount of the expenses of his sickness.

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS.

The Austrian reichsrath has been prorogued.

Blaine and Jewell have left Cincinnati for the east.

Eight prisoners broke jail at Tuscaloosa, Ala., yesterday.

Minister Keenan was received by the crown prince and princess.

The base ball game at Troy suddenly resulted, Worcesters 5, Troys 4.

The session of the national festival at Chicago was adjourned, and receipts about $50,000.

Jesse Grigsby was shot and killed in the Bay in Bay on Sunday, at Chicago, New York, by Gleason.

Mollie A. Reynolds arrived at Dover, Delaware, and was married to Fielding Johnson, Delaware.

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The United Presbyterian assembly at Wooster, Ohio, on Saturday discussed the question of admitting colored members to churches, and decided by a large majority to admit them.

The land league assembly convened in Dublin to-day in the presence of 5,000 persons. Parnell presided. Over one hundred thousand dollars were received by last night.

Mickney Men, "Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures Dyspepsia, Impotence, $1.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The Peninsula on Congress as a Topic of Conversation.

A LETTER FROM ROSECRANS.

The "Star Route" Congregation Under Examination—Political Points from Portland Headquarters.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The week opens since the organization of the present congress with a promise of a session of unusual interest. The announcement of a committee report by South Carolina investigating the charges preferred by Tillman that Mackey has embezzled the funds of the state, has tempered with the evidences of whitewash. The petitioners indignantly rejected the proposition, feeling that investigation by the creatures of the election commissioners was all that was worth. Afterward a caucus of republicans was held at which the sentiment in favor of continuing the fight until the end was unanimous, and a strong feeling in favor of amending the rules to prevent further filibustering in the part of democrats was manifested. The caucus adopted a resolution to consume six hours debate on the merits of a pending issue, at the end of which time a vote will be allowed on motion to second report to the elections committee. Of course such a motion will be met by democrats and can thus consume filibustering. Republican leaders say they are only anxious to lay all the facts in the case before the country to judge which party is right. There was a conference of republican members of the committee on rules from 10 o'clock Thursday night to 1 o'clock Friday morning, at which the propriety of amending the rules to prevent democrats filibustering was discussed. What conclusion was reached is not known, but the draft of a proposed amendment to the rules was seen on the speaker's desk to-day, providing, that pending a motion of consideration on any question of legislation involving a matter of high privilege, the speaker may entertain one motion to adjourn, and no other motion will be entertained by the chair until the question in disposition of the pending question. Some of the republicans doubt the expediency of attempting to arbitrarily amend the rules, and should the democrats filibuster on any question of high privilege, the speaker may entertain one motion to adjourn, and no other motion will be entertained by the chair until the question in disposition of the pending question. Some of the republicans doubt the expediency of attempting to arbitrarily amend the rules, and should the democrats filibuster on any question of high privilege, the speaker may entertain one motion to adjourn, and no other motion will be entertained by the chair until the question in disposition of the pending question.

A Startling Disclosure.

Public Printer Benedict, Secretary Folger, Judge Cox, the treasury solicitor, and others had a consultation at the treasury department to-day, at which the subject of the star route investigations was discussed. It is understood that certain startling disclosures have been made to the department which are to be followed up at once. It is also understood that Postmaster-General Howe will be asked to detail a number of clerks from the post office department to assist in the investigations. It is understood that Postmaster-General Howe will be asked to detail a number of clerks from the post office department to assist in the investigations.

General Rosecrans' Manifesto.

The following manifesto has been furnished by Gen. Rosecrans with a request for its publication by the California press:

WASHINGTON, May 27.

To my republican friends: I speak with unreserved freedom. Public duty requires it. I am not a candidate for any office, and have no personal feeling and place in my mind at your disposal and lead a different course. In both it was essential. Interests of all parties have suffered from the delay. I wish you to act, so, to disregard personal and local preferences for the common cause. Without much aid from local politicians in California, I was elected. I must be difficult for you to organize, but my hard service as your representative has been honest and faithful. I am ready to do my part in the contest with both parties in the house, and it is safe to say that your general representative is at least as vigilant as any of his predecessors. On the organization of the house I will be ready for action. I am not aware of any hostility toward civil government caused to any way be charged as the work of politicians.

The republican majority in the present congress and committee word received by engineers of the capitol to-day in which each committee is informed he will be expected to contribute $100 for the republican campaign fund to be used next fall.

The secretary of treasury, this afternoon issued call for $10,000,000 of outstanding three per cents, March 31, 1882, which matures August 1st, or thereabout. About $47,000,000 in bonds of this issue are outstanding, and after this amount is redeemed calls will be issued for continued issues.

The state department has completed its investigations into the murder of J. J. Fyle, late consular agent at Chemnitz, Germany, and finds his deportment since the first two or three days after his arrival has been entirely correct. Secretary Frelinghuysen has called the consul general at Berlin to demand the recognition of Flynn as consul at Chemnitz, and ordered Flynn to take charge of that office.

The president has not yet signed the Geneva award bill, and it is feared by war pensionism may be urged to defeat it. Remonstrances have been received from New York in the interest of insurance companies. Conkling favors a veto.

Kelly, chairman of the ways and means committee, says there has been no conference concerning the tariff.

Work on the Oregon Short Line.

The Salt Lake Herald of a recent date has this to say of the new road's progress:

Starting at Granger, the track is already laid west over a distance of 81 miles. Track laying has commenced in earnest from that point, and is going ahead at the rate of about two miles per day. Indeed track laying they use Moore's improved track laying apparatus, which consists simply of a trough or chute, through which the rails are dropped and spiked, and the train hands even carry the rails from the cars to the trough. Two men only are employed to lay the rails, one on each side. The engine is at the opposite end of the train, and pushes the car back as fast as the rails are laid, until the car is empty, when it is pushed ahead by teams, and is economical in work, especially as there are many places along the road where the track can be laid on the level ground.

From Granger it is only a hundred and forty-nine miles to Soda Springs, upon which the grade has been completed, and the track will be laid over the many of the bridges put in place. From Soda Springs to Portneuf, where the line crosses the Utah & Northern, there is a stretch of eighty miles, and fifteen miles from Granger. On this gap between Soda Springs and Pocatello graders are now at work, and already a portion completed. Between Pocatello and Granger the grade is finished, and bridges are being put in place. Between Soda Springs and Granger the grade is finished, and bridges are being put in place. Between Soda Springs and Granger the grade is finished, and bridges are being put in place.

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Star Route Cases.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Star route trials began this morning. Before entering upon evidence counsel for defendants moved to quash the indictment in the first of three sections to quash, based on alleged errors in indictments apparent on the face. Argument took up much incidental discussion, making long and exhaustive arguments.

McSerrey for defense spoke three hours and was answered by Bliss. At close of argument Judge Wylie said the points presented nothing different from those already disposed of in former cases. He held that conspiracy was charged, and part of the overt acts were set out as specially as was material and but for the ingenuity of counsel he could not suppose there would be anything wrong in the indictment like this. Since of the 25 overt acts stated might be objectionable, but one was enough under the law. His examination had revealed only defective overt act. Carpenter noted an objection to the ruling. This disposed of the motion of the Dorsey case, and Wilson called up his motion in former's behalf, but before he fairly entered on argument, court adjourned.

Merrick replied to the argument of Ingersoll, quoting extensively from authorities. Miller followed in Ingersoll and charged there was no one overt act sufficiently set out in the indictment, it would tend more to overthrow in his statement of the prosecution. Court then set aside such act. Merrick replied that acts set out were exactly the same as had been pulled suffice it by the court in former cases. Argument will probably last all day, however, by closing full authorities at present, and when he had an opportunity to more fully examine them. Court thinks, however, it unnecessary to make further reply to matter. Judge Wylie gave his views upon the pending conspiracy, and that he was of opinion it was the same and the completed act of which the law takes cognizance. Taking up the question of precedents of record not be said it was only necessary to set out one overt act, and in the light of the several decisions he felt at present inclined to think that an act could be set out in order to charging part of the conspiracy. It was only necessary to set out one act to show that the party was in the conspiracy and not as forming part of the objects of the conspiracy.

A Single Prospective.

WASHINGTON, May 27. Republican members of the house and satisfied at the impracticability of considering the present struggle without at least securing an amendment to the rules which will prevent a filibuster. Caucus was held on the subject to-day, but no definite action was taken. It is supposed will probably occupy the attention of the republicans during the early part of next week. On Monday, instead of after reading the journal Reed will move to go into committee of the whole to consider the bill to refund the direct tax. It is supposed will be opposed by the democrats, and the republicans will then move the previous question, and if a majority sustain them, the bill will be passed. It is supposed will be opposed by the democrats, and the republicans will then move the previous question, and if a majority sustain them, the bill will be passed.

The Blasphemous Sentence.

Guiteau thus writes to the *Star*: "I tell the American people and its officials, from first to last, that the Star route trial is a farce, who was to witness my case, that I tell the truth and lie not when I say I am innocent in the matter of President Garfield's removal, and if I had not been I would be arraigned the Almighty will make the officials he do it pay well for it. If I was outside I would lecture under the sun piece of some lumps on religious subjects. One of my subjects would be, 'Paul, the Apostle, and Kingdom Tyrone.' If my time has come to leave this world I am willing, but not willing to have the murder me on the gallows to understand the issue. If they murder me they will incur the wrath of Almighty God, and it will bring down the wrath of Almighty God, and it will bring down the wrath of Almighty God, and it will bring down

The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, MAY 29, 1882.

ONE PARTY OR THE OTHER.

The result of next week's election in our state will be distinctively either a democratic or a republican triumph. The parties have made up the issue in a form that leaves no middle ground. In so far as there can be on this occasion any political result, independent or selective voting will contribute only to the aid of one party or the other, as that vote may be cast. If the democrats should gain a triumph through the help of independent republican voters the result would not be an independent but strictly and simply a democratic victory. Either the democratic or the republican state ticket will be elected; the legislature will have either a republican or a democratic majority. Such will be the consequence, no matter by what vote—independent or otherwise—the successful candidates may win. Has the democratic party done anything to deserve an expression of public confidence? No doubt the steadfast adherents of that party think it has; but have persons who are not among its steadfast adherents any reason for thinking so? Its course on important public questions has not altered, certainly has not improved, since its claims were last rejected by the people. It has proposed nothing during many years that the country has been inclined to accept. It cannot now distinctly formulate a policy. For many years it was only a party of negations, that is, it contented itself with declaring its hostility to all republican measures as they arose. But it has not now even negative spirit or courage. Mere antagonism to republican measures it found would not do; so now it has quit even that, or antagonizes them so feebly as to show that it has no real earnestness even in negations.

Since the republican party is in power it is incumbent on the democratic party, if it can, would supplant it, to show a reason why. Such reason is not yet forthcoming; we do not think the times are likely to furnish it. Experience with democratic management of the state's affairs has not been so hopeful as to invite a return to the experiment. In national affairs the party has committed so many blunders and has been distasteful through so many years that one can scarcely conceive of its ever being entrusted with the government. Being a unity of the people in a larger number of the states, taken one by one, it cannot possibly win unless its forces amount to over 50 it. Now republicans are satisfied with the management of it rather than with its principles. But it so happens that all the evils of party management of which they complain are intensified in the democratic party. No republican is going to vote party to get rid of fraudism or the spoils system. Under democratic methods those practices are always enormously aggravated. It is the democratic party that gave them birth. It is the party which invented the doctrine that "to the victors belong the spoils;" it is inherently corrupt, the doctrine and practice of it has had a chance to do so, in a measure, every as long, and there are those who have condemned. If the democratic party could reasonably cause to exhibit it to the people of the states, which they appeal to republicans for the help necessary to give it a majority in the control of the state and county governments. But it may be questioned whether any republican, when he comes to vote, will be able to see that the democratic party is more worthy than he has been to support.

CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS.

The act electing to belittle Mr. Blaine's work in congress may properly have called forth a demand for an inquiry as to the record of the democratic candidate for governor in congress. That was in the days when, as he said by Mr. George, "History, it is said, is written by the victors." It is, however, regrettably, inevitable that silence on those achievements which are most honorable to a statesman in political politics engrossed as he was in executive duties. Oregon's commercial interests, small share of it. Mr. Fenton has not brought to this state, so far as known, any small amount of it. Mr. Fenton has not brought to this state, so far as known, any small amount of it. Mr. Fenton has not brought to this state, so far as known, any small amount

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CITY.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.—Special services were held last evening in the Unitarian church by the Rev. T. L. Eliot, in commemoration of the resurrection or Decoration Day. The church was tastefully decorated with flags, recalling, in many an eye, present the bloody scenes through which the star-spangled banner was carried both to hide and be enshrined. Its every spot now is hallowed wherever its sacred folds wave in freedom throughout the world. The attendance was large, filling the porches and doorways, and many went away, unable either to see or hear the exercises. The members of the various posts of the Grand Army of the Republic in this city turned out in uniform and took part in the exercises. The choir sang "Soldier, I Hear Thee," which was followed by the reading of the scriptures, Psalms CXX., CXXII., and prayer by the pastor. Mrs. Dr. Prins and Mr. Bullock sang, "Oper Flout I Had Wings like a Dove," and then the whole rang to the voices of the congregation as the national anthem, "My Country, 'tis of Thee," was rolled out upon the air. Then followed the discourse by Mr. Eliot, which lack of space alone prevents giving the position it deserves. The services closed with the battle hymn of the republic and the benediction by the pastor.

EXCURSION OF DECORATION DAY.—The fine steamer Harlow will leave the foot of Yamhill street Tuesday May 30, at 9 A. M., for Vancouver. The ladies of St. Paul's guild, of Carus City, have chartered said steamer for the occasion, and will gladly receive friends and countrymen. The V. T. Co. hold in reserve another steamer and barge to take on it necessary to meet the demands of excursionists. A pleasant time is anticipated. Remember, the foot of Yamhill street, the good Tennessee Belle is the boat.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S CONCERT.—The officers of Vancouver Post have announced the occasion with the following: The ex-cision will attend Mr. Oechsle's concert at the New Market, Friday evening. The features of the evening will be the new march composed for the bands by Mr. Oechsle and dedicated to Mr. A. B. Prescott. It will be performed by the 21st infantry band and the Orchestral Union of this city.

CUSTODIANSHIP UNNECESSARY.—The G. A. R. committee appointed to collect funds for defraying the expenses of Decoration Day found not the least difficulty in collecting $400, the amount necessary. In no instance was more than $1 accepted from one person, though twice the amount was often offered. This is mentioned just to illustrate that Portland's business men are not only prosperous, but generous.

THEY ARE NOT SPEAK.—R. D. Pitt and A. F. Sears, candidates on the democratic county ticket were advertised to speak at Rooster Rock, Saturday night and started thither in a buggy. On account of a dispute between Capt. John Harlow and the O. R. & N. Co., the ferry at the Sandy was stopped, and the gentlemen for their pains, after two hours' vain endeavors to cross, returned to the city.

SERIOUS RESULTS.—Doctor Caples, of St. John, who was injured a few days ago by the falling of a derrick on the dock at the foot of Morrison street, is now in a very precarious condition. Two long, ugly gashes were cut in the scalp, and on Saturday erysipelas set in, rendering his condition critical in the extreme.

INQUEST.—An inquest was held yesterday on the body of Norman J. Wilson, who was drowned Saturday night, and a verdict of accidental death rendered. Pending an answer with regard to the arrival from relatives in California, the body was placed in box by Coroner Gurnsey.

RETURNED TO ART SCHOOL.—Willie DuBois, son of Mr. Chas. E. DuBois, who is abroad with his mother and father, was recently admitted to the Royal Art School at Milan. He displayed no little skill in modeling figures from wax, and evidently has inherited critics with his cleverness.

POISONED WITH PARSNIPS.—Chief of Police Hartman of Astoria arrived here Saturday night and left by the Fleetwood yesterday morning, having under escort Wm. Grasp and George Drinkwater, who are wanted at the Centre of Attention for larceny.

KNIGHTS OF LONDS, K. OF P.—Wednesday evening next, Knights of Pythias lodge No. 12 (name not yet known) will be organized in East Portland. The secretary of institution will take place in the hall of Multnomah lodge Thursday evening.

NEW UNIFORMS.—Ivanhoe lodge No. 10, Knights of Pythias, received last week from Columbus, Ohio, new swords, caps and belts, which will be worn for the first time at the grand lodge, which meets at Astoria Tuesday June 6th.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Brotherton, who died last Saturday evening suddenly from consumption, will take place at 2 o'clock to-day, from the residence on J street, between Eleventh and Twelfth.

CITY CENTRALITIES.—The city central committee who failed primary meetings for Wednesday, May 24, to choose delegates to the city republican convention, which will be held Wednesday, June 14.

AN EXCEPTIONAL LECTURE.—The subject of Eli Perkins' lecture before the Y. M. C. A. to-night, will be "The Philosophy of Fun." To-morrow night the same will be "The Perkins Family."

BASE BALL.—In the match game yesterday at the Portland grounds, between the Stars and Pastimes, the former were victorious by a score of 27 to 11. The inning were played.

THE STEAMERS.—The Stark crossed in at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, left for Portland at 9:10 and arrived here at 4:30. The Oregon arrived down at 6 o'clock and left at 10 A. M.

ARRIVED.—Paul Van Pelsagh, Fred Pittock and Wm. Wood, students at St. Augustine college, Benicia, returned by yesterday's steamer for their summer vacation.

PICNICS YESTERDAY.

The annual gow-wow of the order of Red Men was held yesterday at E. B. Park. Athletic sports and games filled up the pleasures of the day and an enjoyable time was had by all who attended.

CITY VIEW PARK.—The members of the Portland Turn Verein gave a picnic. The attendance was large and was a most gratifying result in a financial way to the league.

A pleasant and enjoyable time was had by those who attended the picnic given by the Portland Turn Verein at Gambrinus garden. The day was celebrated in the German customs and many excellent sports in the Turners' child worshipped.

A BLUNDER.

The Union of The Oregonian:

Miss McLeander Holmes offered to donate certain quantities of honey to various institutions in case of election to the office of justice of the peace, he herself excluded himself for holding the office, and it he should be elected to fit. The courts hold that it would be against public policy. Either certainly would take advantage of it. It was an unnecessary thing on the part of Mr. P. P.

FALSE REPORT.

Mr. Leander Holmes desires to say that he has not withdrawn his name from his solicitation as the republican candidate for justice in Morrison precinct in favor of Bybee, or in favor of any other person, nor does he intend to withdraw or resign.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

M. Lyman & Co. offer to-day 350 pieces 40-inch cashmere, warranted all wool, at 75 cents per yard; regular price $1 50.

Ice Cream to-night at the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Garrison collects sewing machines and all the people say it does not sell, for he sells the best.

The peerless, light running "White," at Garrison's sewing machine store, 107 Third street, Portland.

Mr. Bricker—Miss A. R. Jorgenson, at 103 First street, calls attention to her large and varied stock of millinery, ribbons, etc.

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Drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, etc., at Corner Drug Store, First and Stark streets.

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Schuyler, the merchant tailor, 70 Morrison street, has received a new lot of suits for riders, cutaways, Schuyler, who stands at the front in the business.

Dress Department.—Gold Watches and Chains, Diamond Rings, and Guns and Pistols, can be bought at Louis Myers on the installment plan, at 181 First street.

Drop in at O. Shindler & Co.'s furniture establishment and see some of the finest bedroom suits, without any exception, ever offered for sale in Portland.

Uncle Myers has just opened some of the finest musical goods in the state. Spectacles to suit all eyes and sights.

AT INVENTORY PRICES.

Van Schaick Bros. & Co. will commence their annual inventory of the Van Bemden stock a large assortment of diamonds, watches and jewelry will be offered after this date by them at not over cost. Such an opportunity for first-class goods never before presented in Portland, and should not be neglected. A saving of 40 to 50 per cent on every day occurrence, and this is no humbug.

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ELI ARRIVES IN TOWN.

Melville E. Ingalls, Eli Perkins' partner, left San Francisco on the same steamer as Eli and took to mine with his wife at the Occidental hotel. Their arrival was announced at 8½ o'clock, and Eli, interrupting an old lecture he is about to deliver in Oregon, said:

"Excuse me, but I must go and welcome a very sweet, gentle woman. Good night, and remember, while my limit is not strictly limited, it is strictly limited."

Where are they?

"Well, my trunk and valise were left behind, were heavy, and they are coming up on the 9 o'clock train. They'll be here till morning. Come and see them."

Our reporter straightened out Eli's Uncle Cornelius in the hall and asked him what Eli was cheering up for.

"Cheering up, indeed," said the old man, as he wiped his bald head with a red bandanna handkerchief. "Cheering up, he ordered a 10 hundred dollar supper at the Occidental, and then he went and sent for Barney Macks engaged, and practiced with him on the flying trapeze. Cheering up, indeed! Why, he's been all over the city, and when he came back he started for his stable. The coach is to be had to-day by the stables where Mooney was in jail, and asks him what Eli was cheering up for."

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NEWS OF SATURDAY.

(From the Sunday Oregonian.)

Fast Mail Service.

Chicago, May 27.—Postmaster-General Wanamaker, now here, says the money to expedite mails, especially between here, and San Francisco, will probably be asked to be appropriated by congress, will probably be asked to be appropriated by congress, will probably be asked to increase speed. He is here to hasten the fast train service between New York and San Francisco.

Chicago, May 27.—Officials of the Illinois Central, Rock Island & Pacific, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroads, and postal officers held a conference last month, and postal officers held a conference last month, and yesterday with Postmaster-General Wanamaker on the evening with Postmaster-General Wanamaker on the subject of fast mail. The general desire of the conference was in the direction of the train between New York and Chicago in 24 hours, Chicago and Omaha 14 and Chicago in 24 hours, Chicago and Omaha 14 hours and other points in proportion, making 3 days hours and other points in proportion, making 3 days and saving of time in the hours between New York and saving of time in the hours between New York and points named as follows: Chicago 8 hours, Omaha 21, Cheyenne 29, Denver 37, Salt Lake 49 and San Francisco 53. The train between New York and San Francisco to be exclusively a mail train and those Chicago to be exclusively a mail train and those further west are to carry passengers.

The Sad Effect of Love.

St. Louis, May 27.—Prof. A. F. Badlman, formerly a teacher in the public schools, grew rich in Nebraska by speculation and returned to St. Louis for a wife. He made love to a chambermaid of the hotel, and was finally accepted after a lot of ridiculous extravagances. He was married, and the next day his wife disappeared. The professor grew very agitated, and got himself into all sorts of trouble and difficulty, concerning which, after spending several lodgers and was sent to the insane asylum, where he died to-day. A post mortem examination showed softening of the brain.

Chicago Board of Trade Rules.

Chicago, May 27.—The board of trade has voted to adjourn Monday and Tuesday on account of Decoration services. The arbitration committee was then brought in a report fixing the settling prices of April wheat contracts at 91 91. It was believed that many would fix the price at 91 91, and hence the large corner crowd was much pleased at the verdict. In this particular case the result will not have much money value for either side, as most of the shorts had stated at 91 91, but it is considered a precedent for the future.

Scientific Researches in the North.

New York, May 27.—A *Herald's* Washington special says: Lieut. Peary left here to-day for San Francisco, where he sails for the United States signal service station at Point Barrow. Two companions men from the signal service bureau will accompany him. It is easier to reach Point Barrow, Lieut. Powell will have to leave San Francisco about the 1st of June.

If he catches two months for a sailing vessel to make the voyage up there. As the government has not supplied a steamer he has to rely upon a sailing vessel and unless he can get away at that time the passage will be closed by ice before the ship reaches within anything like communicating distance with the station. No arrangements have been made for relief of the party at Lady Franklin bay. Tomorrow Wm. M. Turner who, with Mr. Nelson, made meteorological and other scientific observations in Alaska, leaves for Unalava bay. He is sent out by the Smithsonian institution and signal service and is expected to remain in the northern country three years. During which time he is to make meteorological observations and learn all that is possible concerning the mineral, vegetable and animal resources of that region. Turner goes from here direct to Montreal, when he will take a Hudson bay steamer for Rigolette, on the northeast coast of Labrador. There he will connect with the Hudson Bay Co.'s steamer coming from England and go on her to Ungava bay. The headquarters will be at Fort Chimo, at the head of Ungava bay. The Esquimaux around the post are friendly.

Fire at Spring Lake, Michigan.

Grand Haven, May 27.—Spring Lake & Jellie's sawmill and planing mill burned yesterday and the lumber and mill were nearly consumed. There were 7,000,000 feet of lumber, valued at $100,000. Insured for $70,000. This firm lost 9,000,000 feet here last fall.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Presbyterian Assembly Matters.

Portland, May 27.—On the opening of the general assembly this morning, the action by which the majority and minority reports on home missions was referred to the special committee on home missions was reported, and the committee appointed, and constituting committee. The report of the board of education occupied considerable time and created the most interesting feature of the session. Rev. Dr. Hemphill, of Spokane, a delegate was present from the general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church, now in session at Atlanta, Ga., as fully explained the difficulties in the way of all difficulties in the way of the union of the northern and southern churches. A letter of most fraternal correspondence from the southern assembly, was read, and ordered to be answered, and referred to the committee on correspondence. Rev. Dr. Hemphill will be a member of the committee.

The following report of principle, we do hereby declare our respect for, and withdrawal of all expression of our assembly, which may be regarded as offensive to the general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States of America, and

That a copy of this paper be sent to the general assembly now in session at Springfield, Ills., by the fraternal solicitation, and *amidst* assembly for their reciprocal occurrence as affording a pleasant exchange of delegates forthwith.

R. K. SMOOT, Moderator,
JES. R. WILSON, Clerk.

This was received with great delight and referred to the committee on correspondence, and it is understood will elicit a most cordial response.

The following telegram to the general assembly was received from the Atlanta body (the following) the reception of your assembly telegraphed by your moderator, first and worthy concurrent resolutions were adopted by our assembly and quiet, we are prepared to send delegates forthwith."

The following answer was sent: "The action received from your assembly by Jolin—expressing fraternal relations, and the explanation as on the face of the action. There is nothing behind or between the lines. The action of our assembly is near as we shall see, we may be ready for its final adjournment this evening. An exchange of delegates is fraternal. Our assembly would we not each appoint delegates to the other assembly, the committee now appointed to report favorably on the section of the army bill providing for the compensation of officers arrived at the age of 62. Gen. Sherman, who was at first in favor of the proposition, has since opposed it. Gen. Sherman will be retired on full pay if the report is adopted by congress.

UTAH.

A Murderous Argument.

Salt Lake, May 27.—A fight was recently occurred at John Smyth's ranch on the Utah Central road, near Milford, Thursday afternoon. Smyth being crazed with liquor shot at his wife with a 38 caliber double barrelled shot gun and then shot himself. Smyth came from California to Utah and was a Mormon.

Snow Slide in Utah.

Salt Lake, May 27.—This afternoon a snow slide occurred in Big Cottonwood canyon, at the Richmond mine, which carried Richard Graves, letsee of the mine, a distance of 500 feet down a mountain, and buried him in a drift seven feet deep. Thirty men have been engaged for the past 24 hours in endeavoring to recover the remains, but so far have been unsuccessful. It is supposed he can't be recovered till the snow is melted by the sun. The cabin was also crushed by the same slide and a son of Graves burned, but was recovered in time by miners to save his life.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria, May 27.—Bush fires are raging both on the mainland and island, and much damage has been done to forests and farms. New Westminster, Emory City and Nanaimo have been in great peril, but the danger is now over.

Ship Niagara has got her complement of men this forenoon, foremen at 50 for the trip to Wilmington, or $60 to San Francisco.

Yesterday the customs officers seized a diamond ring valued at from $1200 to $1500, and a gold watch, chain and locket valued at $600, from the person of Henry Holbron, a recent arrival in the province. The locket is by some the article of the finest, but that the ring was taken from his finger, and the other articles from his vest. He is a diamond broker.

CARRIE BRADLEY'S TRIAL.

The Defense Creates a Sensation by Moving to Discharge their Client, by Reason of No Convicting Evidence.

Fifth Day—Morning Session.

Drama did by after the opening of the Court, and before the defense had produced a word of testimony they moved that their client be discharged on the ground of insufficient evidence to convict her of the crime. The motion was a bold one, and has been known to succeed, but at this late hour. Witnesses were there, and had not counted on such unexpected legal sparring by the defense, and some grocery jury, both long was taken, which will be continued on Monday.

The Proceedings.

Mr. Beebe, counsel for the defense, made a motion that the court direct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty and that no further hands on charging the defendant to the crime that there is no evidence of the commission of the crime charged except the testimony of accomplices; that there is no evidence that John Bradley is the murderer with Carrie Bradley; that the testimony of the witnesses who have testified in this case, Mr. Beebe then made an argument in this motion. He contended that the statutes which provide that a conviction cannot be had upon the testimony of accomplices did not apply to this case. The evidence of accomplices could not and must be corroborated by other competent witnesses outside of accomplices. Mr. Beebe quoted a number of authorities and cases under similar statutes. He went well some of the testimony in point in the case.

Mr. Mason was proceeding to address the court on the motion when the court asked counsel what he would do with the testimony of Lavin, Stenger, and the Pressmen?

Mr. Mason said he would take up the case of Lavin in their order and dispose of them in a satisfactory manner. He was going on to show that Lavin knew nothing of the crime itself. He was a conversation about the confession of a friend by defendant. But in relation to the name of the man who was killed, Confessions do not present corroborative testimony under our statutes.

The court ruled that the proposition that confessions cannot be taken as corroborative.

Mr. Mason then took up the testimony of Ace Nostenger and proceeded to show that the witness was compelled by procuring the chloroform. The testimony of Ace and the professor of music was further reviewed to show that it did not prove perpetration of the crime.

Mr. Howes presented authorities on legal points raised in the motion and made a lengthy argument on the same.

Mr. Caples, for the state, was about to reply to the arguments presented when the court stated there was no need of an argument in reply, as the court overruled the motion.

JOSEPH E. THOMAS

Was called by the defense and examined by Mr. Beebe: I am a druggist; am employed at Rumpanner's store; my prescription book shows that on the 24th of August last Dolly Adams purchased morphine of me. She appeared to be excited, and I refused to sell her the morphine without a physician's prescription. She afterwards came with a prescription and I sold her the bottle of morphine. She came once or twice afterwards and purchased morphine.

RICHARD BOND.

Examined by Mr. Mason: I have lived in Portland 21 years; know Dolly Adams; her reputation for truth and veracity is not good; have heard Thompson; her reputation for truth and veracity is not good. I have known Carrie Bradley ever since she has been in the city.

The question as to character or reputation for kindness of disposition, was objected to, and there was a long discussion, and the quotation of law and decisions.

The court ruled out the question. Her reputation in the community for peacefulness, quietness and temperance here is good.

Cross-examined by Mr. Caples: Never heard any one say particularly as to her reputation. Never inquired into her reputation.

Afternoon Session.

L. BLUMAUER

Called for the defence—Examined by Mr. Beebe: I am a druggist in this city; was in that business last October; had two drug stores at that time. Poisons were put up by either the head clerk or myself in the store on First street, between Morrison and Yamhill; do not know Dolly Adams.

WILLIAM HOFF

Examined by Mr. Beebe: I was head clerk in Blumauer's drug store last October; know Dolly Adams; that is, she was pointed out to me as Dolly Adams; never have sold her morphine; my custom was by question parties closely who applied for morphine.

Cross-examined by Mr. Caples. It is not an unusual thing for persons of that class to use morphine.

JOSEPH TAYLOR.

Examined by Mr. Beebe: I am slightly acquainted with Dolly Adams. I have always heard that her general reputation for truth and veracity is bad. I know Mollie Filppen. I regard her reputation for truth and veracity as equally bad. I have known defendant for about three years. I regard her general reputation as good. I know D. D. Lavin. First got acquainted with him just after his return from California. He was in my saloon in the presence of Mr. Franklin, Tom Williams and Al. Richter. Lavin said that he had talked with Carrie Bradley, and did not believe she had anything to do with the murder of Mr. Brown, for if she had she would have told me.

CHAUNCE DALE

Examined by Mr. Beebe: I live in this city; know Dolly Adams; her general reputation for truth and veracity is bad. I can't say what is the general reputation of Mollie Filppen; know Carrie Bradley; her general reputation for peace and kindness is good.

JAMES FAGAN.

Examined by Mr. Mason: I know Carrie Bradley; her reputation for kindness and peacefulness is very good. I know D. Lavin; Lavin made a remark to me in Sa. Francisco that he did not believe one word of Sullivan's confession.

Cross-examination: Am proprietor of the Elite theatre and saloon. Lavin asked me about the case; asked if there was any talk about him; told him I didn't know, said that he didn't believe that Bradley was connected with it; didn't say that he had confessions; did not present corroborative testimony under our statutes.

The court ruled that the proposition that confessions cannot be taken as corroborative.

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